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INTERVIEW SUMMARY

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Sir:

Applicant thanks Examiner Kao for the courtesies extended to the undersigned during the telephone interview of November 18, 2004. Examiner Kao called the undersigned to discuss entry of an Examiner's amendment for the following changes:

In claim 3, line 2, insert having an x-direction transverse to the z-direction, before "comprising".

In claim 5, line 2, delete the extraneous underscore between "module" and "straddles".

In claim 7, lines 1-2, delete ~~said radiation detector has an x-direction and the z-direction,~~
and.

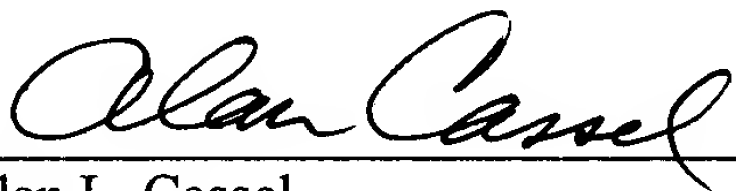
In claim 16, line 2, delete ~~said detector array has an x direction and the z direction, and~~.

In claim 18, line 2, replace the phrase ~~cables, and and said~~ with the phrase cables, and
said.

No prior art was discussed, and agreement was reached with respect to the above claims.

Respectfully Submitted,

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